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Attorney's Docket No. 027650-930

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Thorbjorn ANDERSSON et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1772
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Application No.: 09/856,702	)	Examiner: Catherine A. Simone
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Filed: May 25, 2001	)	Confirmation No.: 2294
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For: MULTILAYER STRUCTURE FOR	)	
PACKAGING AND PACKAGING	)	
CONTAINERS MANUFACTURED	)	
THEREFROM, AS WELL AS	)	
METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING	)	
OF THE MULTILAYER	)	
STRUCTURE	)	

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 28, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification:** None

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings:** None

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

**Appendix:** None

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Title: MULTILAYER STRUCTURE FOR PACKAGING CONTAINERS MANUFACTURED THEREFROM, AS WELL AS METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING OF THE MULTILAYER STRUCTURE

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Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

☒ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.

☐ Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the ☐ \$55.00 (2814) ☐ \$110.00 (1814) fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.

☐ Also enclosed is/are \_\_\_\_\_  
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☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.

☐ Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$385.00 (2801) ☐ \$770.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

☐ Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.

☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted \_\_\_\_\_  
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on \_\_\_\_\_  
for which continued examination is requested.

☐ Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least \_\_\_\_\_, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also enclosed.

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- ☒ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☐ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below.

AMENDED CLAIMS					
	No. of Claims	Highest No. of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims		MINUS =	0	x \$18.00 (1202) =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims		MINUS =	0	x \$86.00 (1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$290.00 (1203)					
Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 0.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$ 0.00</b>

- ☐ A check in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed for the fee due.
- ☐ Charge \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

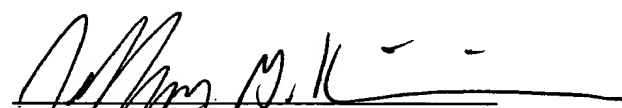
The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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